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MATRIX BENDING  
  
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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

The specification has been amended by adding headings and by making grammatical changes from the verified translation of the International Application. The claims have been amended to accord with U.S. practice. Accordingly, a substitute specification and new claims are submitted herewith to incorporate those changes.